

been graciously pleased to give His Highness' assent to the following Bills passed by the Council.—

- (1) The Cochin Prisons Act (Amendment) Bill.
- (2) The Cochin Insolvency Act (Amendment) Bill.
- (3) The Cochin Wireless Telegraphy Bill.
- (4) The Cochin Rubber Control Act (Amendment) Bill.
- (5) The Cochin Fisheries Act (Amendment) Bill.
- (6) The Cochin Forest Act (Amendment) Bill.
- (7) The Cochin Lunacy Act (Amendment) Bill.
- (8) The Cochin Town Councils Bill.

Placing of statement of Expenditure under Section 28 (1) (c) of the Government of Cochin Act.

Rama Varmha Tampuran (*Comptroller of Finance and Accounts*): Sir, under rule 58 of the Legislative Council Rules, I beg to place the following statement of expenditure authorised by Government under section 28 (1) (c) of the Government of Cochin Act, 1113.

Serial No.	Head of account	Amount Rs.	Explanation
1.	13. Anchal—Railway freight (1115)	55	Consequent on the revision of the capital cost of Anchal Vans and enhanced rate of interest charges payable on this capital cost, the budget allotment was found to be insufficient and hence additional allotment had to be sanctioned urgently.
2.	14. General Administration—4—Legislative Council Travelling allowance (1115)	600	Various select committees were appointed by the Council this year and increased provision was necessary to meet the T. A. charges of the members. Hence additional allotment had to be sanctioned urgently.
3.	17. Jails 2. Sub-Jails Diet of Prisoners (1115)	1,000	The provision made in the budget was found insufficient on account of increase in the number of prisoners in the Sub-Jails and hence additional allotment had to be urgently sanctioned.
4.	37. Miscellaneous Transfer to Revenue Reserve Fund (1114)	6,50,000	A sum of Rs. 6½ lakhs out of the realised surplus of 1114 had to be transferred by debit to "Transfer to Revenue Reserve Fund" and credit to "XXXV-Deposits-Revenue Reserve Fund" and hence additional allotment had to be sanctioned urgently for 1114.